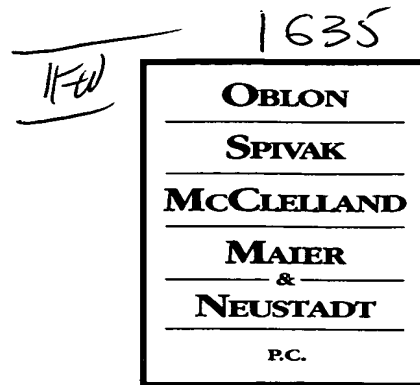




AF



Docket No.: 249326US0X PCT

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

ATTORNEYS AT LAW

RE: Application Serial No.: 09/937,057
Applicants: Antoine F CARPENTIER
Filing Date: February 26, 2002
For: USE OF STABILISED OLIGONUCLEOTIDES FOR
PREPARING A MEDICAMENT WITH ANTITUMOR
ACTIVITY
Group Art Unit: 1635
Examiner: J.J. ZARA

SIR:

Attached hereto for filing are the following papers:

Amendment and Request for Reconsideration

Our check in the amount of \$0.00 is attached covering any required fees. In the event any variance exists between the amount enclosed and the Patent Office charges for filing the above-noted documents, including any fees required under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 for any necessary Extension of Time to make the filing of the attached documents timely, please charge or credit the difference to our Deposit Account No. 15-0030. Further, if these papers are not considered timely filed, then a petition is hereby made under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 for the necessary extension of time. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

OBLON, SPIVAK, McCLELLAND,
MAIER & NEUSTADT, P.C.
Norman F. Oblon


Thomas M. Cunningham, Ph.D.

Registration No. 45,394

Customer Number

22850

(703) 413-3000 (phone)
(703) 413-2220 (fax)



DOCKET NO: 249326US0X PCT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF :
ANTOINE F CARPENTIER : EXAMINER: J.J. ZARA
SERIAL NO: 09/937,057 :
FILED: FEBRUARY 26, 2002 : GROUP ART UNIT: 1635
FOR: USE OF STABILISED OLIGONUCLEOTIDES FOR PREPARING A
MEDICAMENT WITH ANTITUMOR ACTIVITY

AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

SIR:

In response to the Office Action dated January 19, 2007, the Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the above-identified application in view of the following amendments and remarks:

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 5 of this paper.